

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Larry W. Oberley et al.
Serial No.: 09/993333
Filed: November 14, 2001
Title: REDUCTION OF ANTIOXIDANT ENZYME LEVELS IN TUMOR CELLS
USING ANTISENSE OLIGONUCLEOTIDES

Examiner: James Schultz
Group Art Unit: 1635
Docket No: 875.042US1

PETITION FOR A ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

In accordance with the provision of 37 CFR § 1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a one-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the Advisory Action dated December 10, 2003, received following Applicants' filing of a Notice of Appeal on October 21, 2003; said period of response being extended from December 21, 2003 to January 21, 2004.

**Our check in the amount of \$55.00 is enclosed to cover the required extension fee.
Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to deposit Account No. 19-0743.**

Respectfully Submitted

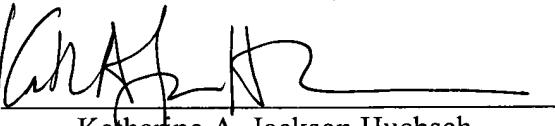
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